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LONDON, December 30 ditions in North Ireland, the Go-

YEAR'S EVE.

CELEBRATIONS HONGKONG.

TO-NIGHT'S REVELS.

Passing 1

To the strains of Auld Lang Syne and the firing of crackers will be commemorated in the Colony to-night the passing of the old year and the birth of the new.

to many the New Year celebra- On that night of nights it is THE LOW PRICE of tions are of more significance if machine guns and artillery than even those of Xmas and were in action with an occasional nowhere is the spirit of carnival shell from "Big Bertha". when THE 'TABL CLOCK more in evidence than in the cele- several explosions coincide. brations annually arranged for But although the manner of New Year's eve. To-night, Re- celebration may be different, the pulse Bay is to be the rendezvous same spirit is the motive power and there will be an assemblage for each of them and Chinese and there as gay in spirit as in European mentality is at any

At the City Hall, and many a the birth of the new year, as a of linked hands although separ-tworld ate will be one in the common spirit which animates them:

Many will be the crackers fired to-night by Chinese who have adopted the Western calendar but & they will be merely a feeble "pop" "compared with the fusilade which will usher in the beginning of that great annual festival-the Chinese New Year. However many decrees may be made by the new Republic there is not the slightest sign that this season will ever be observed the less vigorously.

As nothing too is the feasting to-night as that of Chinese New. Year and as nothing the mirth.

COLOGNE PROBLEM.

ALLIES CONSIDER DRAFT OF NOTE.

STRESEMANN TO PRESS."

(Router's Service.)

LONDON, December 30. White the Allies are considering

the draft Note, which the Ambassadors' Conference will send to Germany with regard to the nonevacuation of Cologne, Berlin transmits a statement by Herr Stresemann to foreign press correspondents on the subject.

Stresemann's Contention.

Herr Stresemann contends that Germany is completely defenceless and prolongation of the occupation of Cologne will have a deplorable effect on the German people and the work for the pacification and consolidation of

He said "it was not surprising if | There has been a family dispute German officers, in performing between these three women," said their odious tasks, sometimes had said Mr. Justice H. H. J. Gomp- death. not been too obliging to military mission; but he denied that there had been any serious obstruction to the mission.

Herr Stresemann concluded by urging an amicable discussion of the whole problem.

MORE EVICTIONS.

CAMPAIGN AT CLYDEBAN CONTINUES.

SMASH BARRICADED DOORS

(Reuter's Service.) LO DON. December 30

Four "evictions, took place" at Clydebank this morning. . They were witnessed by large crowds, but there were no

demonstrations The eviction officers were that, the rent having been compelled to shatter barricaded creased from \$150 to \$500 and doors amids the screams of the paid, they had a rights to levy dis-

Sympathy of Crowd. "A few hours after the Sheriff's officers had departed from Clydebank, the crowd restored the evict-

ed families to their houses. The factors appreciate the futility of the evictions, but are relying thereon to compel the Government RUM RUNNERS, COST

RFEW ORDER REVOKED IN\_NORTH

(Reuter's Service.)

which includes an expenditure of All by sellers and supplies to assist Chen Loh-\$17.000,000 prohibition enforce - Whitmittee have decided to it- and business was done at this gan In consequence of peaceful con- mentil vernment has revoked the curiew has been voted in connection will up the Navy, will appear before the brokers, there is a slight weakening Argent by Sun when he entered ! order. This has been enforced the Coast Guards' activities for computities on Junuary 8, to make tendency and most stocked are the outskirts of Shanghai at the throughout Ulater for the past three curbing rum-running

BRUTAL MURDER

Dock Caretaker Victim Of Robbers.

NO ARRESTS YET.

The body of Chi Sing, caretaker at the Aberdeen Docks, who was murdered last night at his quarters, was brought to the Public Mortuary this morning. There

strangled.

PLOT. TO GET £300,000 FROM INDIAN PRINCE.

RAJAH HURRI SINGH, PRINCESS 4 JAMMU-KASHMIR A MAHARAJAH of DRAHAMIPORE

Although for reasons of State the name of the Indian potentate who signed two cheques each for £150,000, when trapped by blackmailers in a Paris hotel room with Mrs. Maude Robinson, wife of an English

bookmaker, was at first suppressed, it was openly reported in London he was the Rajah Hurri Singh, son

and heir of Sir Pertab Singh, Maharajah of Jammu-Kashmir, India's wealthiest ruler. One cheque for £150,000 was cashed, but he stopped payment on the other. The young Rajah, who was said to have had

£1,000,600 in cash in the bank at the time, was recently married to his present wife, the Princess Jammu-

departure of the robbers; the two

inmates succeeded in freeing

themselves. On looking round for

the caretaker, they made the

gruesome discovery that he had

belonging to the murdered man

was found beside him, it is to be

surmised that he drew his weapon

to defend himself when he was

overpowered and strangled to

FRENCH WAR DEBT

COOLIDGE ANTICIPATES

LITTLE TROUBLE

NO ACTION NECESSARY.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Renier learns that President

wection with the French war

private French logue in the United robberies.

Coulidge at appresent sees no

de t But, if any indication arose

of Referench move to repudiate

"fuere is no indication at present

at the President discredits the

Lumerous French assurances as

regards payment, which has been

first rited by the French Embassy.

At the same time, however, Pre-

sident Coolidge desires that all

ficts shall be clearly known here.

U.S. NAVY.

COMMITTER TO HOLD

(Reuter's American Service:

W SHINGTON, December 30.

....ENQUIRY.

Mehile te the Navy's needs.

redecimendations of the work the real

occusion for American action in

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.

From the fact that a revolver

been murdered by the robbers.

Kashmir, daughter of the Maharajah of Drahampore, another of the wealthiest rulers of India.

"DISTRESS LEVY.

MR. GOMPERTZ SEES

\$1,000 CLAIM.

ertz in the Summary Court this

morning when a claim for \$1,000

damages for wrongful distress

Mr. R. E. A. Webster, who ap-

peared for the plaintiff firm, agreed

with his Lordship but Mr. Elsley

Zeitlyn, who represented the de-

fendant, said that as the case pro-

ceeded His Lordship would be sur-

prised at the concord that obtained

between the members of the family.

of two separate solicitors is hardly

business was in the hands of three

purtners, relatives of the woman

against whom the distress was

there was no partnership at all and

VAST SUMS.

WASHINGTON, December 30.

The blouse of Representatives

has adomigo an appropriation bill.

The defendants claimed

His Lordship: The employment

The plaintiff scase was that the

supened before him.

a mark of harmony.

Case proceeding.

WHATS COMING:

HARBOUR SCHEME.

To-day's closing rate

To-day's opening rate

INTERESTING PROPOSAL. How His Report.

How may the public get to know more of the details of the comprehensive report made by the Colony's Port Engineer and of the plans which have accompanied it?

the body including a number of extracts which have been given of should know more than they do of abrasions on the throat and a the report on the prospective com- matters of such vital importance towel tied round the neck pointing mercial development, of the to the Colony it should meet with to the victim. having been Colony is not humanly possible a ready sale. and a proposal which should. Without this convenience it is According to the statements of meet with every consideration is possible by application, to view two other inmates made to the that the report and plans should the plans which have been pre in Leather, light flaxible

inmates while the others proceed- "The "China Mail" understands Chambers of Commerce but to household party also the New time for rejoicing and a time ed to bind and gag them. The that if permission is obtained keep in the head even the main Year will be ushered in in the when as near as possible one robbers then ransacked the place from the Government this will details for any length of period to give complete satistraditional manner and the chains should get straight with, the for about an hour and left in an be done as soon as possible by an with no further reference would

YAUMATI RAID.

TEN PERSONS CHARGED IN

CASE UNDER REMAND.

woman were brought before Mr.

E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon

Magistracy this morning. The

men were charged with possession

of three firearms and 28 rounds of

ammunition. A further charge

against one of the defendants was

that of receiving a stolen revolver.

The woman is charged with the

possession of wine cups used for

gagging purposes and a quantity

of wire. All the defendants were

An identification parade was

held at the Yaumati Police Station

SLIGHT WEAKENING

Business on the local stock ex-

This may have been due to it

changes this morning was, com-

TENDENCY:

paratively, dull.

maintained ....

remanded for one week.

the 29 arrests made a

police, four men entered the house be issued in the form of a pared and are now on view at about 10 o'clock last night. One brochure to be put upon the the Colonial Secretary's office rate at one in the conception of of them pointed a revolver at the market. and the General and Chinese in a nest comfortable

unknown direction. After the interested person and as there be a difficult matter. The public a faction in every way. would undoubtedly welcome the issue of such a useful book of

reference.

A "China Mail" représentative who called on Mr. John Duncan, who together with his office staff, has been responsible for the report, gathered that Mr. Duncan was in favour of letting the public know as much as possible about the proposed developments and that he thought the brochure would be an excellent thing.

It would be of particular interest to the business houses he \square thought, many of which had been consulted before the plans were produced or a line written of the recommendations."

"A very great deal of our work -was collecting data," remarked Mr. Duncan. "Are you resting on your oars" MANAXAMANAMAN WOODOOL

now, Mr. Duncan?" Mr. Duncan with a shake of the MEMMENTERS head indicated that his work had to the his wo by no means finished with the

bringing out of the report. In answer to another question [5 Mr. Duncan said that he and his staff had really got down to work on the report some time in June but duties often necessitated the putting on to one side of the work and the getting on with something else.

"Yes, I wrote out the whole ! thing in longhand." said Mr. Duncan in answer to a comment on the length of the report, "and ] I don't mind saying I made alterations several times."

SAFE IN PORT

This morning the steamer Taikoo Wan I," which, on Monday, wirelessed for assistance after 2 going aground at Hainan Head. arrived in port!

When the "China Mail."; in-No. 122, Woosung Street, early on quired at the offices of Messrs. Monday morning, 9 men and a Butterfield and Swire, the Captain had not yet made his report. As the ship was able to get off

at high water and proceed here on | her own power, it is thought? that the damage, if any, is inconsiderable... The "Taik on Wan I" is operated | by the Taikoo Sugar Refinery and

brought up a cargo of sugar. BUSY WEEK

As if to make up for the loss ? of time when the Canton Customs were closed ouring the Christmas holidays, exporters of South China produce have been working overtime this week.

yesterday afternoon at which it is Nearly, all the river steamers ob Williams, it might strongly understood none of those arrested and particularly those of the fifthence the White House in its were picked out as the people who Steamboat Co's fleet, have been ? attitud- toward the flotation of participated in recent armed kept very busy with plentiful offerings of cargo, for Tranship | ment, at: Hongkong overseas.

Chief among the lines are raw silk. waste silk, mats, firecrackers, [. tobacco leaf and cassia, mostly for | export to America

STILL FIGHTING EKING SENDING HELI

TO CHEN.

(Reuter's Service.

Shanghai, Desember 31. being the last day of the year, but It is reported that acting there is talk of son e stocks having under instructions from Peking. treached figures too high to be Chang Yuen-ming Military Governor of Shanghai, has des-"Star" Perries were quoted patched to Sunklang 1,000 men

figure for cash la comment de conjugate le Chang to-day surrounded & In addition hearly \$10,000,000 me of the leading small mard, left at Kiangwan coming down, but not appreciably, end of the recent provincial ward



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Mandate of the Republic of China on the 22nd of Movember, 1917g. Authorised Capital .....\$60,000,000,00 ......... \$18,278,000,80 Bergers Wand ...... 0,629,435,34

MEAD OFFICK! PEXING.

HONGKONG BRANCH QUMEN'S BOAD CENTRAL Ohina and Correspondents in Burops, only a few greys, whites and Branches and Sub-branches all ove dyed goods have been sold. The Lordon Benkers :- The Habboal Provin dal and Union Beak of Hagiand, Lad The Guaranty Trust Company of My

New York Banksens - Whe The Benimble Erus Company of Men

STOCKS AND SHARES. STAR FERRIES STILL HIGH.

"Star" Ferries continue to be feature of the stock exchanges. Yesterday business was British Empire Producers' Organdone at \$140 cash and this morn-

ing a firm tone prevailed. On Monday, the highest mark date of November 27 :-touched was \$147 for March but later on the quotation receded to Organisation, at the instance

all did not go well in one or two | Government. camps. Clients were adversely The resolutions state that it is On London -. affected and, so it is stated, one desirable on economic grounds \$90,000 being mentioned.

LOCAL METALS MARKET.

Dull Since Temporary Revival.

reported in this column last week, duction of wheat should be materialthe Hongkong metals market has ly increased. relapsed once more and most lines

Tinplates Quotations. of about 10,000 cases of tinplates, from Overseas, and that it is de followed immediately by purchases on account of Hongkong the Government should without dealers of an almost equal quan- delay enquire into the position both recorded. One sale of 100 cases an announcement as to the minimade and dealers are now quoting that figure. Purchases could probably be effected at about \$10.25.

NAM PAK HONG PRICES.

Sugar and Flour Markets. This morning's Nam Pak Hong quotations, basis "usual guild terms," for "spot" goods, were as

follow:---Java Sugar, per picul net:-No. 24 rough white . . . \$ 9.80 No. 24 fine white .... 10.60 No. 18 rough brown... 9.90 Flour, per sack of 50 lbs.:-"White Greens" ..... 3.52 "Kingfisher" ..... 3.50

MANCHESTER MARKET AMERICAN COTTON STILL REPORTED QUIET.

Under date, of November 5. Messrs. James F. Hutton, of

Manchester, write:-Trading in the American cotton markets has been quiet, possibly in part owing to the elections which have been held in America and here during the week. There has been an almost entire absence of trade and outside support which has led to a bearish undertone. This has been strengthened by continued favourable weather reports from the American cotton belt, in consequence of which private crop estimates have shewn a tendency to incréase the yield figures. At the close there has been a slight recovery from the lowest prices and values are again back at the level ruling just before the last Bureau, report." The outlook remains unsettled but it appears that demand will be the chief factor in the near future rather than any Shinohiko, Taloho, Tainen, Takow, radical alteration in crop figures, and generally opinion seems to be crystallising to the view that world trade prospects are Sourabeye, Semarang, on the whole likely to shew a Balavia, Bombay, London, New steady improvement. In the Egyptian section prices have fluctuated violently and values are well maintained on the week. There is very little change to report in the state

of the Manchester market. Enquiry has been neither large nor general and the business arranged has been almost wholly on a small scale. Spinners of American cotton remain well engaged but spinners of Egyptian have found less trade on account of the high cost of the raw material especially the best grades. The tone of the market continues generally steady however, although occasional weak sellers of medium plain cloths are to be found. American yarn prices are reduced 3/4d. to 3/4d. per lb. and Egyptians are unchanged for the coarser counts but 32d to Id. per lb. higher for fine counts. Of the Indian outlets Bombay and Karachi have been most active, the others being generally quiet; demand has been mainly for light goods, whites and dhooties. From China enquities have been more numerous but

Ricalia coolies and carriage drivers Island allowed on Carrent Accounts in Foochow, Fukien provincial capital, are on strike as a protest against an increase of licence fee for these vehicles. The fee for each ricaha smounting to \$1.20 a month has week raised to \$2 and that for public carriages, amounting to \$2.40; this been increased to \$4.

Levant and South America have

been fairly active and there has

also been some demand from the

Straits and Java Home and

Colonial demand has shown fair

BREAD IN BRITAIN. URGE MINIMUM QUOTA OF

HOME-GROWN WHEAT,

The General Secretary of isation, of Old. Queen Street (Nos. 3. 5 and 7), Dondon, writes under

The British Empire Producers' Mr. V. A. Malcolmson, Chairman Subsequent to this month's of its Agricultural Section, has settlement, which, as reported in adopted resolutions dealing with the "China Mail" was very heavy, supplies of wheat to the Unitedi has been persistently said that Kingdom for submission to H. M.

or two did not come up to the obviate as far as possible the involved, present necessity of purchasing though not excessive, were con- from Foreign Countries so large a siderable, sums of \$20,000 and proportion of the bread supplies of the United Kingdom; and that in view of the fact that an annual expenditure of over £50,000,000 is incurred in the purchase of wheat wheat flour from sources of supply outside the United Kingdom, After the short-lived revival it is desirable that the Home pro-

The Organisation consider that the strategic position of the United Kingdom is seriously compromised With the export to Singapore by its dependence upon supplies sirable in the national interest that tity at slightly favourable prices, from its economic and strategic very little business has been significance with a view to making at \$10.40 is known to have been mum quota of the Country's annual

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requirements in wheat which lit holds should be produced from the

wheat which must still be imported after the Home-produced quota is absorbed should be of British Empire origin, and that steps should be taken to organise and plies of the Empire.

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## MARKET.

LOCAL SHARE OFFICIAL QU OTATIONS. DECEMBER 81. DECEMBER 31. Bharebrokers' Association. Stock Exchange. Nam --dank H.S.B.C. f.T. on selling" rate \$73.58 and on Shanghai 1200 Hongkong Banks 1200 b. London-£139 b. £20-1/2 Chartered Bank ... ... n. £11 P. & O. Bank ... ... East Asia Bank ... ... 9100 b. " A " £981. Mercantile Bank A B. £28} b. Marine Insurances Canton Insurance... North China Insurance 88. 159 Union Insurance .... Insurance Yangteze' ... \$ 411 b. 42 sa. Ohina Und/rs ... ... ... For Easterns ... .. Fire Insurances China Fire Insurance ... ... Hongkong Fire Insurance ... \$ 700 b.

Shipping Douglases ... ... ... H.K. Steamboats ... ... Indo-Chinas (Pret. ... (H.K. Rog.) Shell Transports. ... ... 8. 41 88. 148/141 Star Ferries ... ... 1.70 Hongkong Tugs and Lighter Oriental Nav. Co. ... ... Refineries China Sugar ... Malabon Sugar Mining Kailan Mining Adm. ... Langkats ... ... ] Onmb. \$23} b. Shanghai Loans ... } \$71 b. S'bai Explorations... ) \$6 n. Single Langkats ... \$10} b. Tronoh Mines ... ... Ural Casp. ... ... ... Benguet Con ... ... ...

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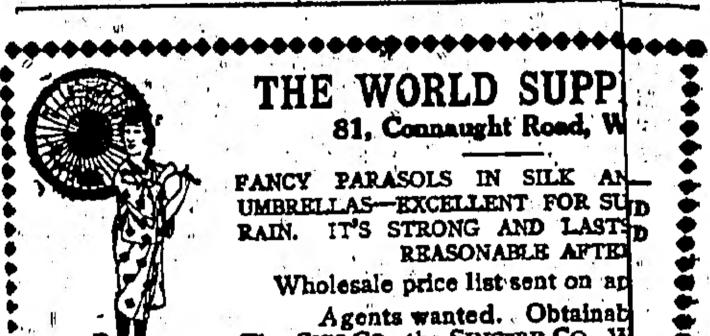
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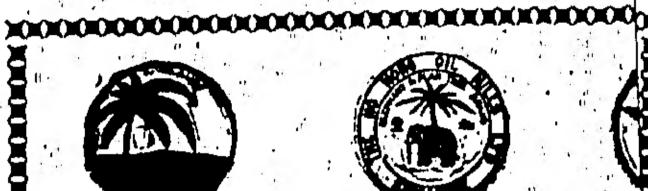
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a) That the following Article shall be inserted after Article 110 of the Articles of Association:--

CAPITALISATION OF PROFITS AND CORRESPONDING NEW SHARES.

110a.—(a) The "Company in General Meeting may at any time pass a Resolution |. to the effect that it is desirable to capitalise any sum or sums of money being part of. the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of the Company's Reserve Fund, and accordingly distributed as a bonus among George's" Building, the members in proportion to the shares held by them Directors be authorised to new shares or in like proportions.

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Article that they are passe at the meeting at which th Resolution introducing this Article is confirmed as Special Resolution, provided that due notice of the intention to propose such firstmentioned Resolution shall The Sign have been given prior to the confirmatory meeting afore-

2.-AND NOTICE IS HERE-Y FURTHER GIVEN that the TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDIN-ARY ANNUAL MEETING of Star Ferry Company, Limited, will be held at the said office of Messrs. Jardine, "Matheson & Co., Ltd., on MONDAY, the 2nd day of February, 1925, at noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the Eight months ended on the 31st day of Decem-

3.—AND NOTICE IS HERE-BY ALSO GIVEN that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the said office of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd., on MONDAY, the 2nd day of February, 1925, immediately after the conclusion of the Annual Meeting for the purpose of receiving a Report of the proceedings at the above mentioned Meeting to be held on the 14th day of January, 1925, and of confirming, if thought fit, as a Special Resolution the above mentioned Resolution.

4.—AND NOTICE IS HERE-BY ALSO GIVEN that an Ordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the said (d) office of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd., immediately after the conclusion of the last men-tioned Meeting for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following further Resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions, namely:-

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increase not only in Great Britain bourgois, who will organise and but in many other parts of the prepare the proletariat for an imworld. The total sales of tea for placable struggle, who will not three months of this year were hesitate to use the most violent excellently situated for offices 210,603 packages at Is. 8.38d. For methods towards those who bar on the 3rd, Floor of "St. George's" I2 months ending last July the their path. It is the most relent-Building facing Ice House Street and total was 1,693,472 packages at less civil war that has ever been Aubert, of the Genova Bar,

In these days of flying round the world it is sometimes rather hard to realise that the first man who ever flew in an aeroplane. Orville several small balloons and com- Wright, is still alive. An enorpressed hydrogen therefor mous gap seems to separate that These are to be carried to as great first flight at Dayton, Ohio, from Black Marias' Exit. tively and in satisfaction of FOR SALE.—Kellett Manor being utilised whenever the weather Nelson. This last achievement of van, or Black Maria, left in the streets at Northampton on its American air men lends appropri- London has just made its last way from market, a heifer sudbe just about, large enough to-lift ateness to the amouncement that journey, taking women in custody denly ran "wild and attacked a the Dayton section of the Society at Holloway. Prison, N., to woman and a child. The animal. quite. With the wind in the right of Automative Engineers, in order to various police courts. The horse- tossed the child into the air, the direction, blowing up the side of commemorate the poincer, achieve- drawn Black Marias, the first of youngster receiving serious inthe mountain, one could climb ments of Orville Wright and his which was used in 1838, have juries and being taken to rapidly along the face of the cliff, brother, the late Wilbur Wright, been superseded by 17 motor- hospital. The heifer had at first for the reason that he would will award a medal annually for vehicles. weigh almost nothing. Of course, the most meritorious contribution Fishing Boat Shots. if the wind were blowing hard, to aeronautical science reported to known as indigestion, from which there must occasionally be a calm novation must apply only to the this would not be practicable; but them during the year. The inallotment the Directors may can be prevented, or relieved in weather. Probably it would be only of aircraft which are heavier authorise any person on be- five minutes, by taking two or necessary for the climber to take than air. The competition is open half of the members to enter three Bisurated Magnesia tablets with him a long, very slender, but to any individual or pair of in-

It is certainly to be hoped th some British inventors will submit papers describing their contributions to the advancement of civil flying. A medal in itself may not be a very useful possession; but to win the Wright Brothers Medal ness, indigestion, loss of power or keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in will be an honour not only to the (c) It shall be no object any other form of internal trouble, the house. It contains no narcotics and individual but to the country to

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The N. V.K. s.s. Rangoon Manu (Bombay Line) left Robe for Hon kon! via Moji on Dou 23 and is expected here

to-morrow. The B. F. s.s. "Orolops" for Marseilles Havre, Liverpool and Glasgow left Shanghai on Dec. 28 for this port and is due here to day. The vessel will be despatched at daylight to-morrow. The E. & A. v.L. "St. Albina" lafe Manila for this port on Dec. '81 at a.m.

with the outward . untralian Mails, and is due here on Jan 2 at about p m. The D.S.L. a.a., "Pres. Harrison which is due at this port on Jan sailed from San Francisco on Doc. 6 on H. E. Edwards.

The B. F. s.s. 'Atrens" left Liverpool on Nov. 19 for Singapore Hongkong, Shanghai and Dalny and is due here on or about Jan 6. The C.P.S., R. M.S. "Empress of Asia" Capt. L D. Donglas. R N E Commander, will leave here for Victoria and Vancon-

ver, B.C., via Shanghai Nagan ki, Kobe and Yokohama at daylight on Jan. 8.
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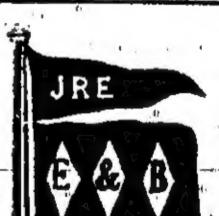
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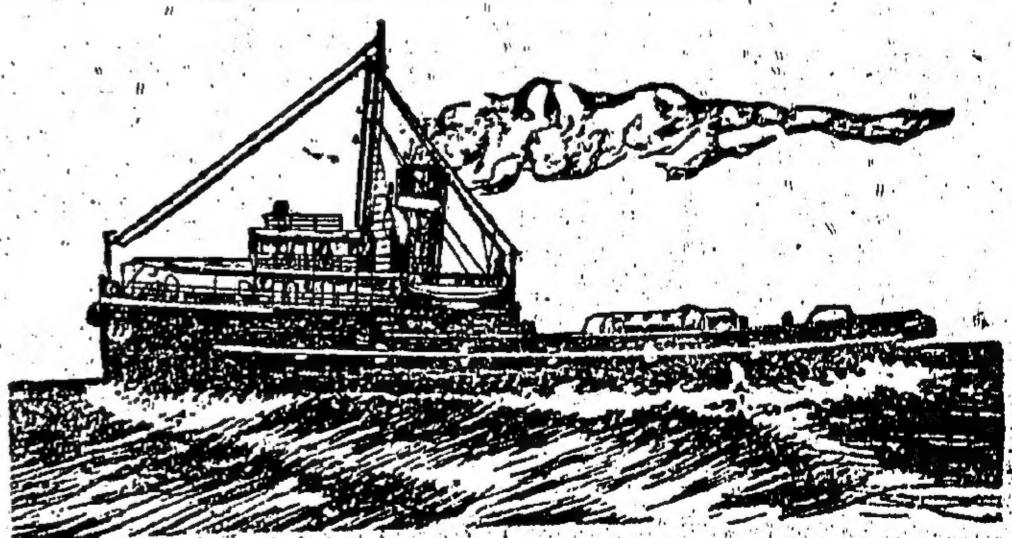
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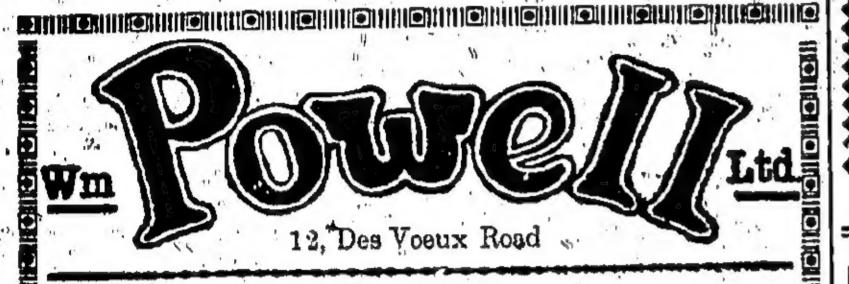
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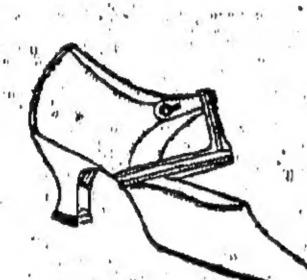




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Hongkong, Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1924.

PUBLIC OPINION.

Apart from the light it sheds upon "the Government's part in the recent controversy, the Colonial Secretary's statement in the Legislative Council last Monday regarding the staffing of the Kowloon Hospital is interest ing as revealing the Government's ttitude towards public opinion. When the idea of employing the sisters of the Maryknoll Mission was first suggested, the Government invited the Kowloon Residents' Association to submit an opinion... That the opinion submitted may have been wrong has little importance now that the matter has been finally settled. The fact remains, as we have pointed out before, that the Government specially sought the opinion of the Kowloon Residents' Association, and acted in accordance with that public opinion. This might perhaps have been dismissed as mere coincidence. Progress. But there could be no coincidence about the sequel. Following the of history the brains and hands outcry raised by a section of the. community, the Government again sought the opinion of the Kowloon Residents' Association on the same subject. This time, for reasons we need not enter into, reasons we need not enter into, obvious first-fruit of these invensince they are entirely irrelevant now that the point at issue has was primarily used for pumping my medical adviser, I decided to been settled, this time the Kow- water out of the newly opened been settled, this time the Kow- water out of the newly opened brocked to Peking on December body as "taipan."

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Another disastrous fire broke bundle of illustrated home magations was the steam-engine, which proved and, after consultation with the profession as he salutes every body as "taipan." Residents' Association entirely reversed its former human thought and discoveries is however, and I shall not be able to advice, and the Government in to be found in the first type of attend social functions for some turn promptly reversed its former decision. The inferences to be Langley of the Smithsonian ing my condition I deem it my could be struck if business was drawn from these facts were plain Institute of Washington. This duty to keep you thus thoroughly enough, but any doubts that may machine was not large enough to informed. have still lingered in the public take up a human body, but by mind must now be finally dispelled for human locomotion. The proby the Colonial Secretary's state- gress of science and invention, ment that in arriving at its thus, far, had advanced on a scale worse at nightfall and croop come decision the Government was in but, with the coming of the Great in the but, with the coming of the Great in the bone a bottle of Chamberlain's siderations of the religious aspect. It is true that the inventions were, and contains no necocles. For sale

that having consulted the Kowloon Residents" Association originally, it could not refuse to reconsider the matter on such strong representation as was made, because it was obviously necessary to avoid any action which might affect the popularity and usefulness of hospital. The Government had several times before shown that it valued the advice of the Kowloon Residents' Association, but "never in such a striking manner Opinions may vary regarding the merits of Government's decision, taken itself, but they must all agree that it was very welcome as an index the official attitude towards public opinion as represented by the Kowloon Residents' Association.

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The King's Trainer.

It has been an open secret for some months that Richard Marsh, the King's trainer, intended to retire at the end of the flat-racing season, and the names of many were bruited abroad as probable successors. The matter has now definitely been settled by the appointment of William Jarvis, whose name appeared in the "Gazette" in mail week. It is a great honour which has been paid to such a young man as Jarvis, but it is no sinecure to which he has succeeded. Moreover, he is following in the footsteps of a man who has trained no less than three Royal Derby winners. Needless to say, therefore, Egerton House during the next two years will be carefully watched by those anxious that the Royal Family The Royal Stud, it is announced, is to be thoroughly overhauled. It is to be sincerely hoped that the result will be satisfactory, for it is of the utmost importance to the Turf that the royal colours should franc, which had reached the limit. achieve a fair measure of success. In the past the royal patronage franc and further depreciation has been one of the chief bulwarks | must be avoided at all costs. against the encroachments of faddists, and it is to be hoped it plated the issue of a new franc. may long continue to be so. While Government must do its utmost to Jarvis is to be congratulated on develop the franc's productive his appointment, few trainers will capacity, while diminishing purenvy him his task.

Ever since the commencement of man have achieved wonders. Singularly enough, however, it was not until the past century that his discoveries led to the formation of a new era in human coal-mines. The subsequent phase 31.
in this rapid advancement of "My health is still impaired," 1909 the aeroplane was available of the Maryknoll Mission but felt for the most part, deadly instru-

ments of war created for the destruction of mankind; but the evil brought forth good in that it was the direct cause of fresh chievements in surgery and medicine. (At the present rate at which miracles are being performed by the scientists, world conditions are continually changing and, at the close of this year, it is timely to let one's mind dwell on year has ended, speedy air liners, Lifeboat, Institution here. passenger steamers on many lawyer and journalist, held routes; colour photography will highly successful concert have reached maturity and the Saturday last on behalf of talking cinematograph will have Institution. become commonplace. Such is progress.

#### MR. HAROLD WALDEN

COUSIN OF THE GREAT "FANNY.

To satisfy "soccer" enthusi asts who are anxious to know if Mr. Harold Walden of the Wish Wynne Co. is the Fanny Walden of the 'Spurs, the "China Mail" is able to give the following:-

Harold and Fanny are cousins. The gentleman who bet that Harold is Fanny and has played for Tottenham, therefore, loses. Yesterday, the principal incidents in Fanny's career were published Below will be found the salient features in Harold's career as cotballer of the highest class:

As centre-forward played for Cliftonville and Linfield (Irish League.) Represented Irish League v. Scottish League at Glasgow in 1911. Joined Bradford City (then in the First Division, English League, October 1911. Picked for Great Britain in the Olympic Games at Stockholm, 1912. In this tournament Harold scored, 11 goals out of 15 and performed the "hat trick" in the final. Turned out for Manchester City (First Division, English League) in War- a beautiful girl from the window time football. Transferred to Woolwich Arsenal in 1919 at a fee of £3,000.

have an opportunity of seeing Mr. a patient. by Walden who has now forsaken forming in Hongkong till Satur-

## FRENCH FINANCE

SENATE APPROVES AGREE-MENT WITH BANQUE.

FEAR OF INFLATION.

(Reuter's Service.)

PARIS, December 30. The Senate has approved the agreement between the State and the Banque de France, adopted (n the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, providing for Government repayment of advances of 23,200,000,000, of which Frs. proceeds of the \$100,000,000 loan orchestra included Professor the first charge. recently issued in America, and Harry Ore's accomplished pupil, should continue to own horses further payments of two militards Miss Lilia Rosario, and was conpefitted to carry the royal colours. of francs to be made annually.

Finance Minister's Warning. Clementel, (Minister of Finance) Sunday afternoon, many would-be said the Government had absolute- spectators having been turned ly decided against inflation of the away on Saturday. The decline in the value of the

Government had not contemchases abroad.

SUN TO TUAN

(Reuter's Service:)

PEKING, December 30. Yat-sen, telegraphing to Marshal Tuan Chi-jui yesterday

life, which was to make a decided Your Excellency probably readvance in civilisation. The most ceived my last telegram. Since bundle of illustrated home magahealth has slightly imbundle of illustrated home magaout at Rongmoon vesterday when

(Signed) "SUN WEN."

Coughs and colds always seem to grow

MACAO NEWS. OPULAR APPEAL FOR LIFE. LATEST GOSSIP REGARDING

HEARTY RESPONSE.

Macao, December 30. Lieut.-Comdr. F. P. da Rocha, what 1925 may bring forth. It is Assistant Harbour Master, is the quite possible that, before another motive force behind a projected will have taken the place of Constancio da Silva, free thinking

The programme consisted of number from the Merry Widow by the orchestra, followed by farce "Os Mentirosos" (The Liars in which an elderly gentleman exasperated with his friends at housekeeper for constantly deceivnig him, hires a manato tellahim the truth on all occasions: series of awkward situations arising from his new servant's too zealous performance of his duties. must be seen to be enjoyed.

Mr. Luis Gois as the truthful servant was priceless, and the audience in roars of laugh from beginning to end.

A selection from the "Belle of New York." including the famous duet. "When we are married" and "Teach me how to love" charmingly rendered by Miss Beatrice Ramalho, met with equally unstinted applause, and another comedy "Choro on Rio" (Shall I laugh or cry?), depicting the marital troubles of a Portuguese couple and their final solution, completed the first part of the

programme. "The Desert Caravan" was next interpreted by the orchestra, and the last sounds of the trappings the departing camels had scarcely died away: when curtain rose on the "piece resistance," a musical comedy entitled . 'Loucuras de (Föllies of Love).

Renard, travelling to meet his betrothed for the first time, sees of his inn, and falls in love with her. Learning that the building is a lunatic asylum, he pretends "Soccer" enthusiasts will still to be insane, and is admitted as

"His passionate lovemaking is morning, Nicholas Simchenno, "stardom" in the football world. interrupted by the approach of the Serbian, was charged with dis-He gives humorous songs to his apothecary, and he is compelled to orderly conduct at Woosung Street own accompaniment in the Wish simulate madness. It is decided last night, and also with damaging Wynne Co. which will be per- to bleed him, and he is accordingly property. locked in a cell. The Marchioness however releases him and uproots a pear tree, sets all lunatics free, and chased by all the attendants throws the apothecary into a well and, at bay, is about to turn on them when the appearance of Suzanna calms his fury The advent of his father and the necessary explanations bring to On being placed in a cell at the light the fact that the girl is his Police Station, the defendant conbetrothed and the curtain falls on tinued to disturb the people from the paternal blessing.

Miss Beatrice Ramalho and morning by making a noise. Messrs. Gois, Marques, Nery and The defendant said that he Rosa Pyne played the leading could not remember what he did parts in this piece, Miss Gracias as he was under the influence of also captivating the public as the liquor. mad Marchioness.

ducted by Mr. da Silva.

By special request a matinee In the course of the debate, M. performance will be given on

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surprised to learn that an illiter- at Canton and is nominally comate Chinese whose wizened face mander-in-chief of all Cantonbears traces of love of opium, is ese troops under Dr. Sun's catering to their wants.

Although he admits frankly kai, autocrat of the Sze Yap disthat he is unable to read any of tricts, is an army commander the musty volumes he carries under General Hsu. around the water-front with him, he tells one and all that all the Police Commissioner at Kongbooks "b'long number one velly moon. Lo Ka-kui is the new

From among his pile of third and fourth hand publications the "China Mail" reporter noticed the following, "marked" at forty. forthcoming:

"Memoirs of a Buccaneer"-Robert Williams; "Billy McCoy" died last night at the French -Christopher Culley; "The Altar Hospital." Diana Marie Corelli; "A typhoid. Lieutenant of the King" Morice | The funeral takes place to day

## KONGMOON RUMOURS

PIRACY.

H.M.S. "MOOHEN" PRESENT.

(From Qur Own Correspondent.)

Pakkai, Kongmoon, Dec. 30. This week has seen another crop of startling rumours. As usual, outlawry takes precedence

over politics. People are still talking about the alleged open boast of pirates in this part of the river delta to bring off a coup on the guardships of the merchant steamer convoys to get their armoury. Now the Macao-Kongmoon and Kongmoon-Shekki tow-boats have also come in for attention and it is thought that these are more likely to become the outlaws' objectives than the steamers. They are cumbersome, but possess much useful fighting equipment. The Kongmoon-Shekki tow-boat was victimised not long ago.

However, H.M.S. "Moorhen" is in port and the non-native community is more at ease.

BRIDGE, BROKEN DOWN. No mid-day down-train arrived here yesterday from up-country and a rumour got round that the first up-train carrying passengers from the Hongkong steamers had been robbed and possibly derailed near Tais Chak station, about three miles from Sanwui city.

Later it was ascertained that the bridge at "Ngau Wan had broken down and that no train robbery had taken place. morning the train service was

resumed. Prevalence of robberies, apparently a necessary adjunct of endof-the-year financial stringency. has resulted in permission being granted to the Merchants' Volumteers at Shekki to patrol the streets as prior to the rupture with the Canton Government.

#### ARTIST IN TROUBLE SERBIAN CHARGED WITH DISTURBANCE.

Before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this

Divisional Inspector Blackman stated that yesterday was Independence Day with the Filipino community. The defendant, who was one of the Serbian dancers tonsing Hongkong, was a guest at the Filipino Club, where he had a few drinks. After leaving the he went to Woosung Street and created a disturbance. sleeping until 4 o'clock this

A fine of \$5 "was imposed Miss Emilia da Silva carried the on each charge. On the house by storm as the parlour- defendant claiming to have no maid in "Os Mentorosos" and as money to pay the fines, a caution the neglectful wife in "Choro on was registered on the second Rio," showing the range of her charge, and he was given the 1,200,000,000 will be paid on talent by coming off well in two alternative of seven days' im-January I, and partially met by the | widely differing characters. The | prisonment in lieu of the fine on

GENERAL HSU.

PREPARATIONS TO WEL-COME HIM.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

"Pakkai, Kongmoon, Dec. 30." Preparations are in hand to welcome General Hsu Shung-chi when he arrives here on January to carry out a tour of military inspection. ·

General Hsu is Dr. Sun Yat-Hongkong book-lovers may be sen's right-hand military adviser banner. General Loung Hung-

> Cheung Cho-wing is the new Heungshan magistrate; his pre-

OBITUARY.

MR. F. X. SOUZA.

The flag above the Hongkong Hotel was flying at half mast to day as a mark of respect to Mr. F.- X. Souza-an employee who

Michael Strogoff"-Jules Verne; with Mac's Cafeteria with whom The Castle By The Sep"-H. B. he had been since the opening in Marriott Watson; "The Spollers" September. He leaves a wife and -Edwin Pugh; The Young two children. Death was due to

## SHANGHAN KIDNAPPERS.

GRANDSON OF WEALTHY CHINESE CAPTIVE.

ONE MAN ARRESTED.

Shanghai, December Following a pistol battle with the police, six of a gang of armed kidnappers made off with the three-year-old grandson of wealthy Chinese whom they had just kidnapped of suprising merit. It was worth from his home at 678 S. Chengtu going to the Theatre last-evening Road yesterday morning shortly if only to hear a setting of Housafter 10 o'clock and escaped in man's "Summer Time on Bredon," the direction of the French Con- from the Shropshire Lad, so cession. The seventh member of delightfully sung by Mr. Alfred the gang, armed with a pistol, Cunningham, and to listen also was taken into custody after a to some fine desperate fight with two Chinese from the classics and, the more constables and a Sikh. He was popular by this very fine singer. conducted, to the Sinza police Harold Walden also caught the branches of the Settlement police, are now conducting a search in an endeayour to find the remaining members of the band and release the kidnapped child.

That the kidnapping planned for ransom is believed to Of Wish Wynne much has been be quite apparent. The grand- said and much more could be writfather of the boy is known to be ten. Nature has endowed her with quite wealthy. The father is em- a beautiful voice and in all the ployed at the head office of the delineations she gives it is the mill in the Settlement.

kidnappers left the house, however, an alarm was raised. The outlaws furned and fired sever shots at random, no one being hit

The cries and shots, were heard by the two Chinese constables and the Sikh, who were on duty nearby. By the time they rushed up, however, a crowd had already collected and there was considerable confusion. Thinking that an armed robbery had taken place, the police constables made for the armed man who was still firing his pistol. The latter struggied desperately but was finally disarmed. In the meantime, however, other members of the gang had gotten away, taking the kidnapped boy with them.

## ARMS RUNNING.

CAPIT. BORRESEN SENT

TO JAML.

SHANGHAI CASE.

Shanghai, December 27 :- Judge Milton D. Purdy in the United Court for China yesterday, by sentence be imposed on N. H. H. Borresen, muster of the sailing vessel "W. H. Talbot," emphasised the attitude of the United States authorities with regard to the importation of arms into China by jumped through one of the plate- huntan passions, has been "dress- have induced them to be more year's imprisonment and a fine of Gold show on the defendant who breadth, and the glass of which is

had pleaded guilty to the charge. I'm pussing the above sentence, fell sprawling on to the pavement Judge Furdy drew the defendant's amidst a shower of broken glass. attention to the joint resolution of Congress and the President's proclamation thereunder and pointed many people in the United States who did not know of the existence of sight a law, yet ignorance was no excuse. It was apparent to the Court, from the circumstances of well.... Under that law the Court | Police-station, was bound to see that it was dant, when he found that he could not import the armain question into Shanghai and that he was liable to be arrested, fled the vessel. He vernained in China under an as sumed name for several months It was true that after his arrest he signified a desire to help bring the wher people responsible" to justice

but this had not been accomplished. While agreeing that the defendant had bitherto borne a good remutation and had never been before convicted, for any offence, the crime to which he had pleaded whilty was serious by reason of its international aspect: serious because it was an offence against the Taws of his own country, and notwithstanding what his councel And said on his behalf, the court was not prepared to treat the mat-Ter in any trivial manner or impose any ro-called nominal sentence.

Bentence was accordingly passed imprisoning the defendant for one veterin Belibid and fining him in addition the sum of \$500 gold. which in default of payment, will have to be worked out in imprison-ment according to the scale provided hoarseness, broughal and other coughs. Riangle Road, thanghai. By law.

### TOLD OFF-PROPER WISH WYNNE'S INFINITE VARIETY.

It is not often that a variety programme contains items of so contrasting a nature as those given by Mr. Edgar Warwick's company, so ably led by Miss Wish Wynne Each artist is an expert in his or her particular "line of business and the result is an entertainment

station, and detectives from that popular fancy last night. There is station, in co-operation with other a touch of the Harry Fragson of blessed memory about Walden but Walden not only plays, and sings at a plano; he rattles off a surprising number of good stories. and finishes his part of the programme with songs to the accompaniment of a zither banjo. voice that penetrates and makes its The gang of kidnappers, own appeal. Her work appears according to members of the effortless, but there is about child's family and other inmates it that quality which raises it to of the residence, entered the very high level and proves her the house on South Cengtii Road, artiste she is. In a London school and, fintimidating the inmates girl, a country girl, and several with their pistols, seized the other characterisations there was child. The act was accomplished not a weak moment, not a thing so quickly that the inmates of the over or under stressed; it was all house failed to realise exactly genuine art. Zoe, Gwen Adeler what had taken place. As the and Bernard Kitchen all contributed worthy shares and helped to make the evening enjoyable. The programme will be repeated this evening. There will be a change to-morrow. " The audience was, in merry mood and full of appreciation, and encores were the order of the evening.

## END CHASE. MAN'S LEAP THROUGH

WINDOW.

London, November 8:-A man's leap through a glass window and his capture after an exciting chase through the West End followed a daring attempt at robbery yesterday afternoon.

the man, who is believed to have gondolas, gondoliers, and a the sky was red with the flames of been accompanied by two other holiday loving populace. The fire. The people were all in a men, drove up to the neighbour- scenes will disclose the famed panic but dared not go out for fear masterly bits of description ever hood of Great Castle-street at the Adriatic city on a night when one of being hit by passing bullets. penned—the brief, terrifying end of Regent-street and entered of its wondrous and colourful fetes Our informant, whose neighbours narrative of the fight of poor the premises of Messrs. Vasco, is in progress. Another item that were all visited by the looters, was little Oliver, breathless, ahead of who deal in ladies' gowns, silk must not be overlooked is the prepared for "the worst, having "an insentiate mob shricking "Stop blouses, etc, All the employees had gowns worn by "the vampire." decided to give all his personal "Thief!" left, and he secured an entrance, These will astound and amaze for belongings to his unwelcome "Stop Thief!" The victim is

hibition rooms on the ground floor. modern frocks that money and the soldiers left his house alone. tim must be found," as Gilbert floor are occupied, and a young much emphasis can be made on escape to the fact that the small will do as well as another. The woman, hearing unusual move- these things to the exclusion of courtesies which he had shown ments and noticing people in the the merits of the story, but it is them in peace time when they street watching the windows, gave necessary to state facts in order to came to the Wireless Station for the alarm. The man immediately prove that a fascinating story of the use of the telephone, might glass windows, which are eight or ed" in no uncertain manner, and tolerant in his case. In this five-eighth of an inch thick. He

He quickly rose, however, and, with blood pouring from his face, "THE COVERED WAGON." on: that though there might be streets into Hanover-square, where he jumped into a taxicab and told the driver to drive as fast as he could to the nearest hospital. By this time the police had got on his track, and after an exciting chase they overhauled and stopped the film. In it will be seen a certain Throughout the twelve hours the case that the defendant while taxi. The man presented a terrible stage in a nation's history and the during which they systematically Gladys Brockwell, Lionel Belmore in America realised the appearance, being covered with looker on will be able to obtain looted the city, no attempt was serious ness of the offence of export- blood, and the police conveyed some idea of that which makes for made by the loyal troops to ing hiring to China. The secrecy him immediately to Middlesex greatness. Think of the covered interfere with them, and it was with which it was done and all the Hospital, where it was found that, wagon which carried pioneers because of the fear that the Fourth circumstances surrounding the although he was in an exhausted across trackless wastes-pioneers Mixed Brigade might also break affair howed that the defendant condition sthrough so who braved the hardships and loose that our informant decided had knowledge of the fact that he much blood, his injuries were perils of the miles of prairie, to leave for Peking. was doing something contrary to the not serious. They consisted of mountain and river to gain the The amount of the damage law of the United States, not only cuts on the face and head. After western promised land; and then wrought cannot be ascertained for contrary to the law of the United his wounds had been dressed the think of these same wagons the present but is believed to be

three men were involved in the think of these Red Indians with down by fire. The city was not attempted robbery, two of them hatred in their hearts at the onrush affected, however, thanks to the exacting as watchers. They are now of the invading white men. There cellent defence put by the police. searching the West-End for the is in the story a buffalo hunt, the driver of the tax! who is believed | wild rush of yelling, painted red ; to have driven the men up to the men, and the "schooners" of the scene of the raid. A large patcel prairie—these covered wagons. of material was left behind him The film is not merely one of the on the premises. The man will be greatest dramas of the century, charged in due course.

Saiyi Brazaali, a member of the picture. Council of State, declared that all the Parties were unanimous in seeking the attainment of the Swarai desire, wherefore he more strongly than ever urged the Imperial Indian who wish to retain their charm find Government to act courageously.

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## FRANCE'S DEBTS

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(Reuter's Service.)

PARIS, December 30. opinion favoured the war debt's left there since the mutiny, " being pooled and paid proportionately to the wealth of the Allies, Clementel did not accept this uggestion and emphasised the repudiate any debts. Her signature would always be regarded as

### ANGLO-FRENCH RELATIONS

M. Herriot, addressing the Senatorial Foreign Affairs Committee on Anglo-French relations, referr ed to their mutual understanding in both striving to establish International questions in the Mediterranean, the Middle East and the Far East, Mr., Auston Chamberlain had expressed grat fication at the attitude of French diplomacy in Egyptian affairs Britain was pursuing a policy reciprocal of the good offices Morocco. The Russian fleet mus be handed over since the Soviet Government had been recognised.

# THEATRE.

are scenes on the ocean liner to the railway station.

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States but to the law of China as man was taken to Marylebone scrambled into a protective circle at enormous. The native hotels and the cry of "corral:, corral! Indians." silk stores suffered most, practical-In the opinion of the police It makes the blood run cold to ly all of them having been burned but an invaluable historical record. On these two counts alone it is safe Presiding at a meeting of the to say the Coronet Theatre will be All-India Moslem League, Mr. crowded during the showing of the

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## KALGAN MUTINY

FURTHER DETAILS OF LOOTING.

MANY CHINESE KILLED.

Poking, December 18:-"It will Interviewed by a representative probably take years for Kalgan to of the New York "Herald," M. recover from the offects of the Clementel declared that the feeling, mutiny which took place on Monaroused in America with regard day evening and lasted until early the question of France's debts Tuesday morning, as the entire was due to the action of France's | business district was looted by the enemies in deliberately misinter- troops." This was the opinion preting a part of his recent of a refugee who arrived in Peking financial statement wherein he from that illfated city yesterday said a section of French public morning by the first train which Our informant, who occupied a

responsible position in the Kalgan Wireless Station and whose house. miraculously escaped looting by point that France did not intend to the mutinous soldiers, said that the troops involved in the affair were three battalions of the First Mixed Brigade, two of these stationed near the Wireless Station and one near his private residence. The theory here that the trouble not accepted in Kalyan, as it was a.m. known that the condition of these troops was considerably Hall, City Hall, pianoforte recital better than the lot of their com- by Master Emil Danenberg, 5.30 rades in other parts of the country, p.m., their pay being only one or two months in arrear. The real reason. was the discovery on the part of the mutinous troops that the Provisional Government had rejected Meetings. the proposal of the retiring Tutung, General Chang Hsi-yuan, that he be permitted to retain the command of his troops, and intended to dis band them.

#### TROUBLE STARTS.

The trouble started shortly after seven o'clock, when the sound of firing was heard throughout the city. The business district was VAMP." AT THE STAR first visited and looted. Generally p.m. the looters confined themselves to the plunder of cash and valuables and took care not to molest the Aside from the dramatic value owners, but where resistance was of "A Fool There Was" which is offered, as was done in several of showing at the Star Theatre, the leading shops, they retaliated picture has many points of interest by killing the owner and setting which are undeniable. The sets fire to the houses. As a result of are elaborate and costly showing, this quite a number of people, inas some of them do, the interior of cluding both/soldiers and civilians, millionaire's house. Women, were killed, and in this connection particularly, will revel in the our informant saw a number of nursery wherein "the fool's" little dead bodies lying in pools of girl of four has her home. There blood by the wayside on his way

Olympic." and a picturisation Throughout the night there was Between two and three o'clock of the Grand Canal, Venice, with an incessant firing of rifles, while by way of the fanlight between the there is a wardrobe that will visitors if they should come, but an innocent boy, but the hunters outer and inner doors of the ex- amaze, with the most beautiful and he was lucky enough to find that know nothing of that. "A vic-Some of the rooms on the top modistes could suggest. Too He attributed this miraculous says in "Mikado," and Oliver that time and money have been connection, it is interesting to expended in producing a film that note that the wireless station was also not visited and that all its staff were safe.

## A GLORIOUS RETURN,

The looting cerued at about o clock morning. when the mutinous little Jackie Coogan himself. soldiers returned to their barracks with their loot marching as if coming back from a victorious distinguished of stars, Jackie battle, with banners flying and Coogan, in this masterpiece of This is what is known as an epic bugles and drums sounding. classic literature, and supported

## SHADOWS BEFORE

Coming Events Advertised In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

December 31 - Coronet Theatre: The Covered Wagon." December 31.—Star A Fool There Was." December 31.-World Theatre; The Covered Wagon."

December 31 .- Queen's Theatre. "Under Oath." December 31 .- Theatre Royal, Edgar Warwick presents the inimitable Wish Wynne.

January 3.-Variety Concert Dance, at St. Patrick's Club, Garden Road, 9 p.m. sharp.

January 12 to 17 .- Hongkong A.D.C.'s production, "St. Joan," 9 p.m., January 14, 4.80 p.m.

December 31.—Repulse Bay Hotel special dinner dance. January . 2 .- Bible Circle at started over the non-payment of Helena May Institute, conducted their arrears by the Tutung, was by Mrs. H. Lechmere Clift, 10.30

January 8 .- At St. Andrew's

February 16-17-18-21.—Hongkong Jockey: Club Annual Race

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January 14. - Extraordinary General Meeting of the Star Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine, Matheson's office room.

## QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"OLIVER TWIST."

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guilty wretches who committed the crime join the chase and yell "Stop Thief!" even more lustily

than the others. This is but one of the scenes of "Oliver Twist" that Director Frank Lloyd has lifted quivering from the pages of the book and placed upon the screen.

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According to the latest report available last night the rails of the Peking-Kalgan Railway have been torn up by the mutinous soldiers in order to prevent the coming of the troops under General Chang Tse-kiang to suppress them.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL

possession of 20 taels of raw opium | and two of cerebro-spinal fever:

Journal of Commerce."

It is reported that a fire dut on the Japanese liner "Chinyo 'Maru," off Acapulco, Mexico, on voyage to Pacific Coast ports from Balboa. All of the 75 passengers were rescued by the American steamer "Julia Lanckenbuch."

The rise in the marriageable age of girls in Korea is stated to have brought about a disproportion between the sexes on the marriage market. The Korean girl is now so engaged in finishing off her education that she has no time to get married, with the result that by the time she has left school she finds all the young men of about her own age have already married.

" A hawker in South East Leeds day with a dobkey which was liter- was arrested; on a charge his adventure.

hard labour was imposed by Mr. during the five days ended Decem- Admiral's yacht, "the "General E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon ber 28, showed five cases of noti- Alava," and the destroyer "Peary" Magistracy this morning on a fiable disease, all Chinese one were expected to leave Shanghal ship's compradore for being in diphtheria, two of enteric fever on Boxing Day for Manila.

An extraordinary general The Diplomatic Corps in meeting of the Star Ferry Co., Peking has potified the Chinese Ltd., is advertised to be held on Government that permament pro- Wednesday. January 14, at noon, meeting which is at 10.30 a.m., is in the case of the Foreign Settle- Matheson & Co., Lid. Full ments in Shanghai," states the particulars may be gleaned from the advertisement appearing in

> Interviewed of representayesterday, the Hon. Kotewall, Chinese unofficial member of the Legislative Colinell stated that a definite site had not been decided upon for the proposed Hongkong Industrial School but the institution was likely to be crected at Scanley.

Board was held yesterday afterday afternoon at Post Office Building." Mr. W. D. Tratman was in the chair and other members present were, Dr. A. G. M. Severn, Dr. V. M. Koch, Dr. J. MacGowan, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin and Mr. D. Davies. There were no matters of public interest before the Board.

It is just upon two years ago turned out on the elections polling that Mr. Harold Nijhuis, of Kobe ally smothered with red colours and criminal assault, the complainant streamers, and carried a picture of being Matsuura Hana. There was a fierce-looking Bolshevik, with the no corroborating evidence of any slogan 'Follow Russia." The man sort, and there were various cirhimself, however, was as plentifully cumstances that made the testidecorated with the Conservative mony of the plaintiff extremely candidate's colours, and carried a doubtful. In the Court the placard on which he had printed accused was sentenced to three We're not all asses to Etewas a years' imprisonment. In the Osaka bold display in such division, and. Court of Appeal the sentence was as was to be expected, had a very reduced to two years. In the in the extension of hawkers sell-short life. The man and his donkey Court of Cessation, to which a furing hours to ten o'clock at night, were quickly the centre of a small ther appeal had been carried, the say the vernacular papers. Hitherto mob of "Reds," and after a short, Osaka sentence was confirmed, but the closing hour for all hawkers sharp, and very one-sided argument stay of execution of sentence, was he returned home with his animal, granted—which) means that the the year, the extra hour will, cer-looking a good deal the worse for accused goes free and suffers no tainly be welcomed by those conmore inconvenience over the affair.

A fine of \$400 or six months! The Colony's health return The U.S. flagship "Huron," the

The Bible Circle at the Helena May Institute on Friday next, January 2nd, will be conducted by Mrs. H. Lechmere Clift. The open to all women.

From the Portuguese monthly, Religiace Patria is to hand an interesting and artistic almanac-Almanaque da Boa Imprensa para 1925—which the said monthly is distributing to its subscribers.

Gen. Lu Yung-hsiang, the new Pacification Commissioner of Anhui and Kiangsu, is said to have intimated his desire for peace with Marshal Chi Hsieh-yuan if the latter will retire peacefully from Kiangsu. - Ex-President Hsu Shihchang is said to have gone to Nan-A meeting of the Sanitary king and urged Chi not to retire, but to fight. Another report says that Hsu has come secretly to Shanghal for political activities.

> "Dr. George Chien Hsu (former Minister of Justice), Gen. Pah Wenwei (former Tutuh of Anhui) and Gen, Niu Yung-chien (a leading revolutionary general) have visited Marshal Fengi Yu-haiang in Shensi and urgediblm not to resign, says the "Sinwanpao." These three men are fellow provincials of Marshal Feng and are leading Chinese Christians. All have been associated with Dr. Sun Yat-sen in Canton at different periods.

Mr. Chow Show-son and the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, the Chinese unofficial members on the Legislative Council, to the Captain Superintendent of Police (the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe) have resulted was nine o'clock. At this time of

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

A message from Berlin says it is reported that M. Trotsky has upon March, the chauffaur who been arrested and is now im- drove Sir Lee Stack when he was prisoned in the Kremlin at assassinated. Moscow, consequent on his refusal to obey the Triumvirate's order to leave for the Caucasus.

A special meeting of the has requested him to resign, statelectors of the Singapore Cham-ber of Commerce adopted Mr. his name from membership. Guy, Clarke as their nominee to represent the Chamber on the Legislative Council, in place of Mr. W. Lowther Kemp, who recently retired.

After an absence of nearly eleven months from Bangkok, His Royal Highness, Prince Kambaeng Bejra, Commissioner-General of the Royal State Railways of Siam, has arrived at Bangkok Noi, where he was warmly welcomed back by a large number of people of various

Prince Isaburo Yamagata, Privy "Councillor, is Japan's

Mr. Justice G. Deane, Chief Justice of Leeward Islands since Mr. V. G. Lyman, assistant from Home at Penang by the Company of New York, has been P. & O. "Kalyan." Mr. Justice appointed a member of the company of New York, has been Deane has been appointed a mittee of the General Chamber of Puisne Judge of the Straits Set Commerce of Shanghai. The tlements and it is expected he will other American member on this be stationed in Penang until he committee is Capt. W. I. Eisler of relieves Mr. Justice McCabe Eisler, Reeves and Murphy. Reavy, of Seremban, when the latter goes on leave.

Mr. Cyrus E. Woods, the recently retired American Ambassador to country, especially during the time of the great earthquake of September, 1923. The gift will be taken by Mr. Kazue Kuwa-

Mr. Winston Churchill has resigned from the National Liberal Club, and now the Eighty Club

Capitaine Fernand Didier, President des Camerades Francais de la Grande Guerre, is leaving Siam for good. He has been for many years in Siamese Government service in connection with the Bangkok water supply.

Percival Garnettson, who has been living in China for thirty, years, has returned to Rome with a fortune he accumulated after learning the secret Chinese process for drying ggs. From his plant at Hankow, he exports 100,000,000 dried eggs annually.

official Envoy for the return visit Mr. Karakhan, Soviet Ambasof H.E. Merlin, Governor- sador, has notified the Govern-General of Indo-China, according ment that the Outer Mongolian to a message to the "Daily Bul- representative at Moscow, Mr. Reletin." Prince Yamagata will Dansan, has left the Soviet proceed to Indo-China in capital for Urga in accordance January, accompanied by M. with the stipulations of the Claudel, who is going on furlough: Russo-Chinese draft agreement on general principles.

1923, and Mrs. Deane, arrived manager of the Standard Oil

Mr. Pozdneyeff, once Commis-Mr. Fumio Asakura, one of the foremost artists in Japan, has appointed by the People's Companiestions of sioner for Ways of Communicamissariat of Communications of the U.S.S.R. as Vice-President of the Board of Directors of the Tokyo. The bust will be sent to Chinese Eastern Railway, in the Mr. Woods as a personal gift in place of Mr. Serebriakoff, Mem-recognition of his services to the ber of the Collegium of the P. C. ber of the Collegium of the P.-C. of Communications, who has returned to Moscow.

shima, who was recently The Revel Sister Agathe, of appointed First Secretary to the the Congregation of St. Paul de Japanese Embassy at Washing Chartres, is at present visiting ton, and will be presented to Mr. Hongkong, says "Religiao o Woods. Mr. Asakura, like other Patria." Notwithstanding her. victims of the disaster, lost his advanced age, she attends mornhouse and all his property during ing desidions daily at 4.30. the earthquake and fire. He is Having ready visited the estabsaid to have been greatly im- lishments of the Congregation in pressed by the great and humane Japan and the Philippines, she endeavours of the late Ambassa- will next proceed to Holhow, Pakdor towards the relief of the hoi and Fokien before returning to France.

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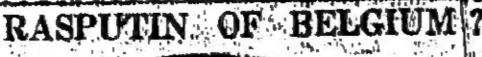
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JOHN MASEITELD

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The Rev. Percy Stickney Grant, former rector of the Church of the Ascension, Fifth Avenue, New York City, has been eigentaken by a mental malady and his condition is causing the greatest anxiety.

Mrs. Rita d'Acosta Lydig is a former fiancée.

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MISS ALEXA STIRING

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Mrs. Harry Hodgkinson, J.P. has been appointed the first Lady Presidency Magistrate in Bombay. She is the first woman English Municipal Councillor of India. Mrs. Hodgkinson is a journalist, interested in infants' welfare work, primary education and relief work.

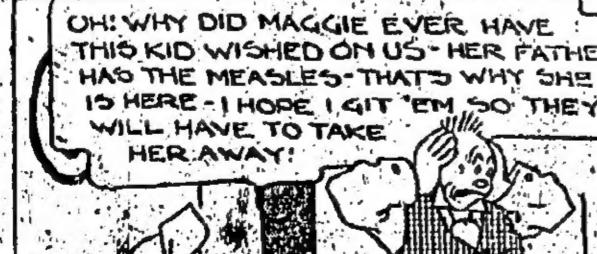




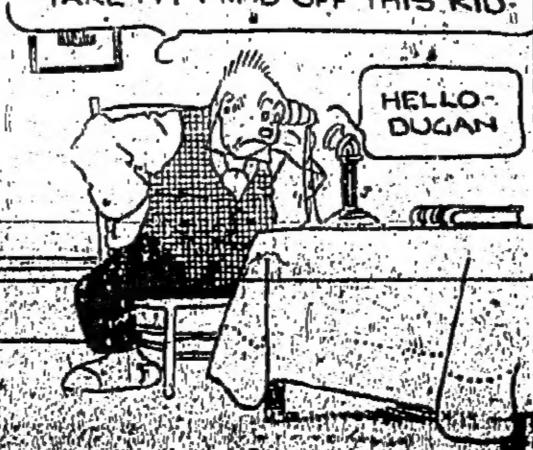
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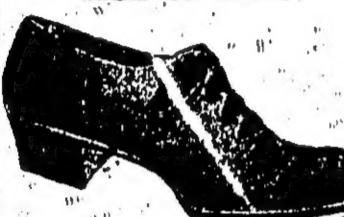
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H.E. The Commander-in-Chief China Squadron has kindly consented to kick off. The Band of H.M.S. "Hawkins" will play from 3.15 to 3.45 p.m. and during half time. The undermentioned have been selected to play:-

Navy :--Goal, Wavish (Tamar). Backs, Wright (Hawkins) Hume (Petersfield). Half Backs, Waine (Hawkins) Taylor (Pegasus) Devonport (Haw-

Forwards, Balcombe (Cespatch) D'Argavil (L. 33) Carter (Despatch) Smith (Hawkins) Chamberlain (Pegasus). Reserves, Grindle (L. 33) Cox

(Pegasus). Army: Goal, Stanton, R. A. Backs, Caveille, R. A. P. C. Jordan, E.S.

Half Backs, Turner, R.E., Mitchell, E.S., Bristowe, E.S. Forwards, Charlesworth, E.S., above. Eaton, E.S., Humberstone, E. S., Butler, E.S., Mackleworth, E.S. Reserves, Latham, R.A.O.C., McBride, R.E.

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H.K.C.C. TEAMS.

Club v Army, on Club Ground to-morrow commencing II a.m. -T. E. Pearce, Rev. E. Quick, R. E. A. Webster, A. C. Bowker, H. Owen Hughes, E. Reed, Rev. T. B. Powell, G. More, W. Galloway, A. E. Wood and F. N. Young.

This match was originally fixed as a two day match, but owing to the 2nd January not being holiday, it has been altered as

"A" v. I.R.C. at Sookumpoo on 3rd. January, commencing 2 p.m., (League).-T., E. Pearce, J. D. R. E. A. Webster, Capt. R. F. Walker, F. N. Young, S. A. Arthur, L. P. Ralph, J. D. Crawford, M. M. Watson and H. Spicer.

"B" v R A. at Happy Valley on 3rd January, commencing 2 p.m. (League)-R. Hancock, L D. Mc-Nicoll, A. C. I. Bowker, E. J. R. In a replay in the English Cup, Mitchell, G. R. More, E. F. Stewart; Gillingham met Barrow. After H. Owen Hughes, H. J. Armstrong, extra time had been played, the D. McMaster, J. P. Bridger and result was a draw of one goal each. H. M. Howell

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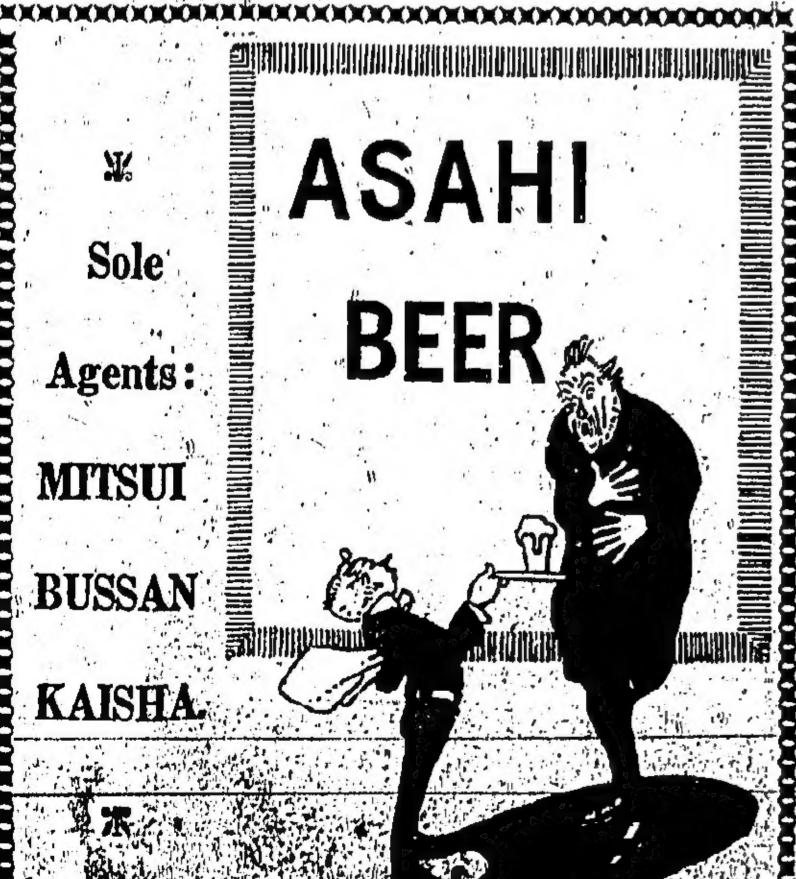
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